

FIRE DESTROYS LANDMARK ON SAN PABLO RANCH

WEATHER
San Francisco and Bay Region
Clearing weather Friday. Possibly showers in early morning. Saturday fair and warmer, light westerly winds.

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THOUGHT and COMMENT

Overproduction

Artichoke growers are becoming disgusted with the poor returns on their crops this year and hundreds of acres are lying unharvested while the owners declare that the land will be used for other crops next year. This is the report coming from the Monterey and Half Moon Bay sections, where artichokes are grown extensively.

The hundreds of acres which are not being harvested this year represent many years of hard work and a large amount of money invested.

The answer to this perplexing problem is the lack of a market, or more tersely, over-production.

Overproduction seems to be at the bottom of all of the problems of the farmers in this nation. In California however, it is probably more prevalent.

Large ranches and the ease with which fortunes are sometimes made on these large ranches by specializing in one crop seems to be the lure which is held out to capital that is invested in enterprises of this nature.

Some familiar with the subject have predicted that it will be only a matter of a few years before the small five and ten acre truck garden or farm, with diversified crops will answer the question of overproduction.

California offers a marvelous opportunity for the small ranch, where a diversity of crops may be raised assuring the owner that an overproduction of one product will not spell his ruin, but cut up into small ranches none of which will be over fifteen or twenty acres in size.

When this is done the farmers will discontinue their lament on hard times and asking for government aid. A business man who constructed a large department store in the middle of a desert would be called foolhardy. And yet that is the very thing the farmer is doing when he spends his energy, time and money, in growing a product for which there is no market.

The small ranch can be handled by one man or one family is the ultimate solution of the farming problem in this nation. The process of elimination now in progress is quite expensive, but in the matter of a century or two it will probably reach its point.

CARS COLLIDE

Cars driven by A. S. Glamer and Mrs. J. Masson 2211 Barrett avenue collided at Twenty-third street and Macdonald avenue last night with no one injured but with serious damage to the car driven by Glamer. The car driven by Mrs. Masson was not damaged.

Samuel Chaloner will leave early next week on an extended trip to England. He plans to be gone indefinitely.

Husband and Wife



My wife talks while she plays cards.—F. L. L.

WHAT DOES YOUR WIFE DO?

BIG MOTOR BUS CONSOLIDATION IS ANNOUNCED BY 3 COMPANIES

Merger is to Avoid Duplication Of Service of Many Routes
Officials State

(By Universal Service)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—A series of important mergers—the largest in the history of commercial motor stage operation in California—were announced today by three of the largest companies in the state through the Motor Carriers' Association of America. A statement issued here late today said:

"The three companies involved are the California Transit company, which has its headquarters in Oakland, the Motor Transit company of Los Angeles, and the Pickwick Stage Lines system.

As a result of the merger competition is practically eliminated over several of the principal bus routes in the state, and each of the three companies will have virtually exclusive control in its chosen field.

The virtue of the amalgamation, the Motor Transit company, Los Angeles virtually retiring from the "through service" field, will have control, through the development of its local business, of the field in and around Los Angeles, Long Beach, Santa Ana, Redlands, Riverside, San Bernardino and the San Bernardino and San Jacinto Mountains.

The Pickwick Stages system will give complete and exclusive service between San Francisco, San Diego, Los Angeles, via the Coast route, and Portland via the Sacramento Valley and Redwood Highway routes; and

The California Transit company will be giving complete and exclusive service between San Francisco, Los Angeles, via the "Ridge Route" and the Tehachapi route, and also giving through service exclusively between Bakersfield, Fresno, Stockton, Sacramento and Oakland."

The following were the purchases announced by the Pickwick Stages system—the Los Angeles-San Diego line of the Motor Transit company:

By the Motor Transit company—the Crown Stages and the local lines of the Pickwick Stages system in the Los Angeles area, by the California Transit company—the Los Angeles-Bakersfield line of the Motor Transit company, via the "Ridge Route," and the Packard Stage Line, belonging to the Pickwick system between Los Angeles and Bakersfield, in Madera, certain local lines radiating out of Fresno, heretofore operated by the Pickwick system.

The following were the purchases announced by the Pickwick Stages system—the Los Angeles-San Diego line of the Motor Transit company:

The man answering the description of the "stranger" applied for a room at the home of Mrs. J. L. Woodcock, 325 Fifth street. Mrs. Woodcock who answered the door said that the man acted peculiarly and when she hesitated at admitting him, she shoved the door open. This gave her the opportunity and with presence of mind, she rushed into the street. The man left immediately.

Later Mrs. Woodcock phoned

the description to the police.

The man is described as being about forty years of age, of stocky build and apparently a Swiss-Italian, having blue eyes and being light complected.

GIRL IS HUNTED AS WITNESS IN COURT MARTIAL

(By Universal Service)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—A quiet hunt was reported to be on tonight for Lucile Swallow, star prosecution witness in the trial of Captain Orville L. Clampitt, following a sudden adjournment of the trial today until Monday.

Tuesday, Captain Clampitt engaged in an affair with the girl while stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Since she testified behind closed doors, the girl is reported to have disappeared. Both defense and prosecution would like to question her further in the light of new testimony charging her accusations against the army.

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Stolen Car Is Recovered

(By Universal Service)

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Madden agreed with him. They said Congress will be out of town by June 1.

Suicide is Verdict Of Coroner's Jury In Martinez Death

(By Universal Service)

Mrs. J. Esola was issued a permit to construct a one-story cottage and garage, costing \$3,750, on the west side of McLaughlin street, between Barrett and Roosevelt avenues. N. E. Anderson is the contractor.

A permit to construct a garage costing \$100 on the north side of Ohio avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Thirty-ninth streets, was issued to W. G. Holmes, who will do the work.

J. L. Long secured a permit to erect a storage shed, costing \$125, on the east side of Fifth street between Main and Florida.

Coroner C. F. Donnelly had charge of the inquest.

PRESIDENT IS TO ASSIST IN RETURN HERE OF SOLDIERS

Five Thousand Former Service Men to Receive Aid of President in Re-Entering Country

(By Universal Service)

WASHINGTON, April 8.—President Coolidge will do everything in his power to help bring back the 5,000 foreign born American War Veterans who are now stranded abroad from this country because of quota restrictions of the immigration laws, he told White House callers today.

The president-executive let it be known that he intended to present to Congress a bill to permit these veterans an unfurnished one and was represented as being willing to back any law Congress might pass to permit the return of this country.

A plea in behalf of these foreign-born ex-soldiers was presented to President Coolidge by the Rev. Frank B. Gigliotti, administrator of the Department of Italy, the American Legion, who has come all the way from Rome to urge action by the American government to lift the quota bars so these soldiers may come back home.

Bills to accomplish this end already are before Congress. In his talk with the President, Gigliotti, a former Presbyterian minister in Pennsylvania before the war, pointed out gassing in France painted a stirring picture of the plight of these foreign-born American war veterans.

"There are nearly 5,000 of these men in Italy alone. They are good enough to fight for America—should be good enough to be allowed to return to these shores," he said.

"I have come from Italy for but one purpose. I wish to voice the feelings of thousands of foreign born American war veterans now stranded in Europe. They feel that laws should be changed to permit their re-entrance."

One-fifth of this number were wounded overseas and now draw compensation from the United States government, Gigliotti told the President.

The Reed-Fish Bill, now under consideration by the immigration committee of both houses, will relieve the situation, Gigliotti said.

Point W. C. T. U. Expresses Thanks For Publicity

Point Richmond, April 8, 1926.
Editor of RECORD-HERALD, Dear Sir:

We wish to express thanks for your courtesy in making public all of our meetings at all times. You are always very generous with your space at all times; therefore we take this method to show our appreciation.

HOENIT RICHMOND, W. C. T. U.
HENRIETTA J. Bly, president.
Alice Sanford, Secretary.

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Railroad Passes Are Tabooed On Mexican Roads

(By Universal Service)

MEXICO CITY, April 8.—The railroads administration has ordered the complete cessation of the practice of issuing passes on the National Railway.

Mrs. Current killed her self several weeks ago. It is thought that broding over the illness of her husband, who is ill with a malignant disease, was the cause of her actions.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sieman plan

the erection of a new home on

property purchased from A. L.

Paulsen in the Mira Vista section.

The sale was handled through

H. O. Watson.

TO BUILD HOME

Miss Maclaurin, instructor of

the girl's gym class at the Rich-

mond Union high school, will re-

sume her classes next Monday,

after a week's leave of absence.

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OIL TANK FIRE LOSS ESTIMATED IN EXCESS OF \$16,000,000

Conspiracy In San Quentin Disclosed

CONVICT CLERKS EXTORTED CASH FOR PAROLES

Rescuer of Titanic Victims Speeds Mauretania

Through Storm But Tanker Wins Race to Save 28

Her lifeboats carried away and with water in bunkers and radio which were picked up by the Mauretania, the fastest ocean liner in the world, and the tankship Shirvan. The Laleham was 400 miles south of Halifax. The Mauretania was 160 miles distant and Captain A. H. Rostron started a race to have the crew of 28 but the Shirvan was closer and took off the Laleham's men before the Mauretania reached the scene. Fourteen years ago, when Captain Roston was in command of the Carpathia, he saved the survivors of the Titanic disaster.



Fire Believed Set By Gasoline Thieves Burns Old Ranch House On Britto Ranch Near San Pablo

Fire believed to have been started by a cigarette accidentally dropped by a thief who was trying to fill their tanks from his store accidentally dropped a lit cigarette or a match while stealing the gas.

The ranch which is owned by Mrs. R. H. Collins, 311 Bonita avenue, Piedmont, is sometimes known as the Old Andrade ranch and is adjacent to the Fairmeade Golf and Country Club.

Richmond residents who saw the blaze last night had the memory of the huge oil fire in San Luis Obispo in their minds and many believed that the standard oil tank farm had caught fire.

The heavy rains and the fact that the wind which had been raging all day had subsided saved the new ranch house and other structures at the ranch.

Leg Is Nearly Severed By Shark

(By Universal Service)

HONOLULU, April 8.—Mrs. Leonard Carlsmith, daughter of Dr. David Snedding, of Columbia University, while swimming in Hilo Bay yesterday was bitten by a shark. With a bite it took the flesh of one leg from the heel to the thigh exposing the bone.

Carlsmith, who was swimming with his wife, went to her swimming part of the way. Her condition is serious.

ONE KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

(By Universal Service)

CAMDEN, N. J., April 8.—One person was killed, several were severely and perhaps fatally injured and many others hurt in the derailing of the locomotive and at least one pullman car of an Atlantic City-bound Pennsylvania express train at Delair, five miles from here and near the bridge over the Delaware river, according to a report received by the Camden police tonight.

Another speaker on the program was District Inspector J. E. Higgins.

Edward G. Smyth, of the McKinley Lodge of Masons, acted as master of ceremonies and introduced the distinguished guest.

Visitors from Oakland and San Francisco and Berkeley were present and told the Masons of the work being carried on in this state among the lodges of that order.

Another speaker on the program was District Inspector J. E. Higgins.

The Union Oil company will do nothing definite until the fire has burned itself out, which will probably take three or four days. The oil tanks were partially insured. In fact most of them are covered by insurance. The Union Oil company may rebuild some of the tanks. It all depends on the conditions existing after the fire.

Every farm within a radius of two miles of the inferno of burning oil has been abandoned and residents in the outskirts of San Luis Obispo are fleeing fearful of further explosions. The city is

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FARMS SWEEPED IN PATH OF BURNING OIL

Two are Killed as Raging Inferno Causes Oil from Blazing Tank to cover Neighborhood

SECOND FIRE STARTS

Company Officials Stage Race With the Blazing Overflow As They are Trapped

SAN LUIS OBISPO, April 8.—The smoke from 18 cauldrons of blinding crude

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HUGH GIBSON

President Coolidge has selected Hugh Gibson, our Minister to Switzerland, as Chairman of the American Commission to act abroad at the Disarmament Conference, and has instructed him to assemble the necessary staff and to make the proper investigations and prepare to proceed abroad. Already in Washington a staff of military and naval experts is being assembled. In Mr. Gibson, the president and the American people will have a representative who has not only a full knowledge of the background of the conference but an exact and complete knowledge of the personalities of the men whom he will meet. He is one of our diplomatic representatives who rarely make a mistake. He talks a plain language, but with finesse.

All this is as it should be. America and the American people have displayed their will for peace. They are ready and always will be ready to fight for it if necessary, but at the same time they have a sincere desire to reduce expenditures for military activities, provided the other nations of the world are in the same state of mind. It is accordingly a matter of congratulation that at a time when a tempest in a teapot promised to boil over, that the president with his eye fixed on the goal for which he has long been reaching, should make this move. The few meagre words in which he announced his decision are worth more than tons.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

A distinguished jurist recently said: "Everybody who wants something solved or somebody saved, regenerated or reformed, is turning to national legislation to accomplish this purpose."

The educators of the nation appear to have adopted this formula. At the recent meeting in Washington the legislative commission of the National Education Association went on record in favor of the bill before congress creating a Department of Education with a secretary in the cabinet at its head, to "meet" the Nation's most fundamental need."

Departments of State and Secretaries of the Cabinet are political entities. Schools, like the church, should be kept free from political association. The states have ample powers to administer and control their schools. Federal participation in this respect is subject to grave question. Bureaucratic development already threatens the permanence and stability of democracy. If the nation is to have a Department of Education, it might as well have a Department of Public Morals.—*Cincinnati Enquirer*.

STUPID IN FULL

The 100 per cent efficiency of the democratic and anti-Coolidge forces in stupidity has never been disclosed more clearly than in the creation and activities of the special senate committee investigating the federal tariff commission. This scheme of creating a board which outside of congress would have the power with the consent of the president to increase or lower the tariff rates to meet trade emergencies has never been popular with the republicans who have had the feeling that the power to fix the customs duties was an exclusive privilege of congress.

For some time republican leaders and even the president himself have considered the advisability of abolishing the board. It was with this thought in mind that a considerable number of administration

Some Pages from American History

By VICTOR MORGAN

THE BOSTON TEA PARTY

There were many causes of irritation touching the colonists besides the Stamp Act. For instance there was the "Quartering Act," by which troops were established in the colonies, and the colonists by special enactment were required to provide the troops with lodgings, firewood, bedding, drink, soap and candles.

Even the clergy were, almost to a man, suspicious of the government, following an effort of the English churchmen to establish bishops in America. Each class seemed to have its special reason for looking askance at everything that savored of control from over sea.

About this time William Pitt, friend and sympathizer with the colonies, succeeded Grenville as head of the ministry in England. Unfortunately, however, Pitt soon lost his health, and other men with no wide, preceiving vision like his own, regulated affairs.

Hence it came about that there soon appeared on the statute books two acts for the regulation of colonial trade and the government of the colonies.

The first provided for the more effectual enforcement of the acts of trade already in existence; the second imposed duties on many necessities carried to the colonies, including tea.

Evasions of the revenue acts were to be tried by the admiralty courts without juries. This meant that the West India trade, by which Boston merchants and ship owners lived, would be stopped.

Affairs rapidly approached a crisis. Resistance centered, as trade itself did, in Boston.

Following a general agreement proposed in Virginia by Col. Washington, known to all since Braddock's day, no goods were imported on which tax was laid.

Trade with England stood almost still, and there was distress and panic, with the result that the tax was lifted on all but tea.

The colonists smuggled in from Holland most of the tea they needed. The East India company promptly sent tea-laden ships to Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Charleston.

But in Boston a quiet men, disguised as Indians, threw the chests overboard in the harbor. Thus was parliamentary tax once more defied.

LESSON IN HOME DRESSMAKING

Charming Model with Slip-on Blouse and Two-Piece Skirt Featured for Smart Fabrics

FOR those who like the rhythmic sweep of the circular mode, this design will be especially interesting. It consists of a slip-on blouse and a two-piece skirt attached to a long-waisted bodice. A colorful scarf may be added as a smart accessory if desired. In medium size the dress requires 3½ yards of 36-inch material, with 1½ yard dotted fabric for the collar, and 1 yard 36-inch lining for the bodice.

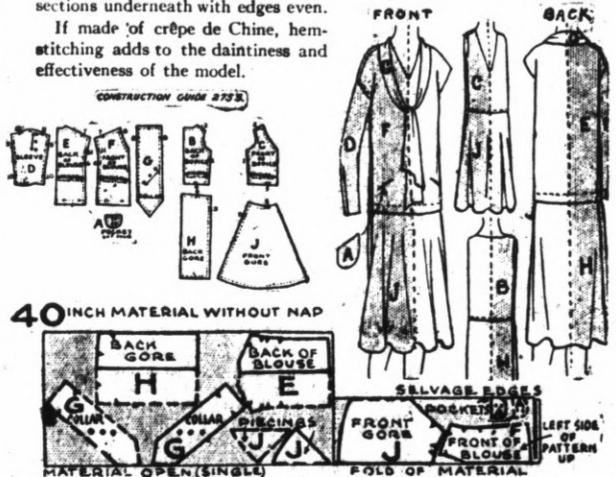
As the front and back of the blouse and back of the skirt are without seams, these sections are laid along the lengthwise fold of the material when cutting. Arrange the other sections on lengthwise threads, following the diagram of the cutting guide. Mark every notch, for it is by matching the numbered notches and perforations that the garment is easily put together.

First close the underarm and shoulder seams of the bodice, then join gores of the skirt. Sew skirt to lower edge of bodice. Close underarm seam of blouse below the medium perforation in back E, then close shoulder seam. Close center-back seam of collar, fold through the center, and baste edges, matching notches 8. Sew collar to neck, leaving free beyond the small perforations. Join edges of tie-ends and tie.

Sleeves may be added if desired. For the pocket, slash front of blouse between medium

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senators voted for the investigations and were ready to cooperate towards that end if a study of the situation proved the case. But the democrats, not content with working into the resolution an attempted reflection on the president, dictated the membership, and as a result Senator Lafollette was made a member. How can a committee report, when it is discovered that last February in an article in his monthly magazine, Senator LaFollette in his capacity as editor not only tried to fix the tariff issue but declared in advance that the charges as made are true?

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Do both, my dear, just marry Burke and be his loving wife, and you will find that research work is part of married life. Prof. Noodle



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"Why Girls Go Back Home" with Patsy Ruth Miller is a Warner production from this novel.

SYNOPSIS

Clifford Dudley, New York's latest stage sheik, sued by a chorus girl for breach of promise, starts a "tour of the sticks" until the affair can be smoothed over. Clifford is a Broadway nosey-poly who blooms best on city pavements; rural life remains anathema to him. Sally, a country girl, is exceptionally pretty girl in one of his small towns. Clifford, a brusque address, the impassioned words of love, intended for his stage sweetheart, to the little girl "out front."

CHAPTER I—(Continued)

One frail hand of a beautiful Italian model gently stole around her lover's neck, and there, under the lace collar, her fingers tightly screwed a bit of flesh. She pinched as hard as ever she could. Sally had a sense of humor.

There was a painful suddenness in the withdrawal of her lover. He glared at her. He hissed this time not at Marie:

"Tell me, have you never loved?"

Silently released, Sally half faced the audience calmly and proceeded to tell her story. Clifford was supposed to have gaped at her throughout. Instead he nonchalantly transferred his gaze to Marie, smiling at her at the most tragic parts of the recital.

The audience, a little bewildered at first, caught on to so obvious a situation. The enraged face of the model. The lover, when he should be attentive, walking about the stage, and smiling now and then directly into the upturned face of lit Marie Downey of Winesville. A sinner went through it.

Williams, observing from the wings, made a motion of one who washes his hands, and walked away.

"Did you call me a sap?" Marie's voice was icy, the last word in meticulous politeness. They reached the gate in front of the grounds of the small Downey



He called—to her—in his most dulcet tones.

Sally turned her face a minute from the audience, long enough to mutter for Clifford's benefit:

"Wait till I get you back stage, you big bum."

He never turned a hair. That pretty kid, the audience thought! The Great Lover. Yes, on stage, and if anybody cared to know, off too. As far this bunch of yokels, he'd teach them how to chew gum around back stage.

He was to turn toward Sally now, and, extending his arms, his last plea his last line. He turned deliberately toward Marie. He walked down to the footlights and bent over. He called—to her—in his most dulcet tones:

"Defy the evil tongues of worms! We two will show the world how great is Love."

The unanimous thrill shot through the audience, and a sigh of amazement, that one almost expected to see rise palpably to the roof.

The curtain fell. An actress immediately threw herself hysterically on the star. A stage manager dived to the rescue.

Out front the audience sat with open mouths, for a minute. Then Marie, thrilled to the bone, began to applaud feverishly for one last sight of her idol. A wag followed her. The audience became a pandemonium of laughter and applause.

"Attaboy, Marie. You got him going!" cal-called to her in the balcony.

Marie, turning around in a dazed astonishment, was seized rudely by the hands of John. His blazing eyes looked at her, and his voice on fire with anger said to her:

"You can't make a fool outta me. Come on! Come out!"

"That's right, John. Tell the lady what you think of her," sang the boys up in the gallery.

The whole town knew each other.

It was no time to halt. To the accompaniment of laughter, yodels, and loud calls of sympathy, Marie was propelled into the square.

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"My people are happy and contented. They belong to themselves, live within their incomes and fear no man." —*Progressive Farmer*.

FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1926.

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THE HERALD

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL MEET AT PITTSBURG

A convention of all the Sunday schools of Contra Costa county will be held at the First Congregational church at Pittsburg on Saturday with Mrs. N. F. Sanderson of Martinez presiding.

All of the Protestant Sunday schools of this city will attend the convention which will be one of the biggest events ever held in the county among the church circles.

Miss Nina Moody of Richmond is county secretary.

A program has been arranged for the evening, afternoon and morning, which will be as follows:

MORNING

10:00 Devotions, Rev. C. C. Chapman, Pittsburg.

10:15 Roll Call of Contra Costa County Sunday schools. Miss Nina Moody, of Richmond County Secretary, calling the roll. Responses and reports by a representative from each school.

11:00 Address: "A Co-operative Program of Religious Education." Rev. John C. Prince, San Francisco. Decision Picnic Lunch.

AFTERNOON

1:30 Devotions, H. B. Thomas. Announcements, Special Music.

2:00 Address, "Summer-time Opportunities in Religious Education." Rev. Chas. L. Duncan, San Francisco. Discussion.

3:00 General Conference: "Sunday School Problems." Leader, Mr. Prince.

3:30 Business session. Reports from officers and districts. Election of officers. Our County program.

4:15 Divisional conferences. Children's division. Miss Nina Moody of Richmond. Young People's Division. Mr. Prince. Adult and Administrative Division. Mr. Duncan.

EVENING

7:30 Devotions, S. Townsend. Announcement and offering. Special music.

8:00 Address: "Present Day Trends in Religious Education." Dr. Herbert Francis Evans, Pacific School of Religion, Berkeley.

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THE TELEPHONE AND ELECTRICAL SUPPLY GROWTH

A. L. Salt Tells of Development of Distributing Business

"Great as was the ambition of Alexander Graham Bell, the results of his patient and skillful study have far exceeded his fondest dreams." Thus Albert Lincoln Salt, president of the Graybar Electric Company, eulogizes the man and the industry whose fiftieth anniversary the world is celebrating this month in a statement to appear in the current issue of Telephone Engineer.

"How well I remember the ridicule to which Bell and Watson were subjected during the period of experimentation, and how difficult it was to obtain money, with which to exploit the business," Mr. Salt said. "But that little toy has become the nation's most valuable asset. What would we do without it? And yet, we have hardly scratched the surface of the possibilities of telephonic communication."

"There is going on at the present time, for example, a phase of development work that is playing a vital role in making the telephone of ever greater importance to modern civilization. I refer to the splendid distributing organizations that have been built up to supply not only telephone instruments, but that vast group of accessories so necessary to the companies furnishing telephone service to this country.

"Telephone transmitters, receivers and induction coils are vitally important in themselves, yet a transmitter in itself could never pick up a sound wave without a battery, and without a power cable, the sound wave could never be transmitted to some other point. Without switchboards it would be impossible for one station to talk to anyone of the millions of other stations. Without poles, cross-arms and insulators, it

Tells of Development



Albert L. Salt

would not be possible to bridge the space between central offices.

The selection, purchase and distribution of all these accessories constitutes a gigantic business in itself. Purchase engineering has come into its own. As a result the handling and storing of telephone accessories and equipment has been developed into a particular science.

"Out of this supply side of telephone development has grown the electrical distributing business. The Western Electric Company, as a manufacturing, distributing and supply company, discovered that it was serving so many customers outside the Bell System, that it was necessary to organize a separate department to handle this part of the business. This department, known as the Supply Department, grew steadily until on January 1, 1924, it was incorporated separately under the name, Graybar Electric Company.

BUSTER KEATON ON THE SCREEN AT RICHMOND

One of the screen's comedy kings follows Horace Greeley's advice in his latest picture, which begins its local engagement at the Richmond Theatre today.

Buster Keaton is the gloom-slayer who holds the heart of the famous editor and his attractive play "Go West" has been widely heralded as the year's outstanding laugh riot. The picture is by far the biggest in the history of the screen if a comedian's career, for a year was required to make "Go West."

Thousands of half-wild steer and scores of real Arizona cowboys take part in the feature. The Keaton company spent more than a month on a 1,000-acre ranch during the shooting of the picture.

"Go West" portrays the courageous and thrilling adventure of a youth without a personality. He travels around the country in a boxcar, but nobody will give him a job. He chased off a southern plantation, given the air in a Canadian timber camp, and was always buried at every turn of the road.

Finally his wandering carry him to the great open spaces, where fate catapults him into a cowboy's chaps and spurs. As a ranch hand Buster is a scamp. The story develops naturally, but with amazing comic results.

The star is supported by a big cast, including Howard Truesdale, Carlton Myers, and Ray Thompson.

"Go West" was produced by Joseph M. Schenck for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer release. Buster was the director and wrote the story. The picture is in the same program with "Charlie's Aunt," a Walter Hiers comedy; "Felix the Flounderland," a Felix the cat cartoon.

McNamara Final Rites Saturday

Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock funeral services for Michael McNamara, retired Southern Pacific employee, who passed away at a local hospital early yesterday morning, will be conducted from the Wilson and Kranzle funeral chapel. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery in Oakland.

McNamara, who was a native of Ireland, lived in California during the past forty years and was a resident of Richmond for the past two years.

He was the husband of the late Mrs. Theresa McNamara and the father of Mrs. John Assmussen and the grandfather of Edward Assmussen all of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rouse and daughter, Ula Calhoon, were chosen Wednesday night to operate the new detention home in Martinez, according to a report received from Dr. T. A. Boyer, county probation officer. A special meeting of the county probation committee was held at the home of Mrs. Claud P. Leech, chairman, in Walnut Creek to discuss the appointment of a matron and assistants.

This committee will meet again on April 21 to discuss the furnishing of the new detention home which is expected to be completed within two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hoefer have taken residence at 2236 Durand avenue, Berkeley, following their marriage on Easter Sunday. Mrs. Hoefer was formerly Miss Helen Thompson of the Richmond High school faculty. The groom is the brother of Miss Ruby Hoefer, also a faculty member.

Charles Kienkau will depart this week for Tiffin, Ohio, where he and his family will reside.

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News of Society-Clubs



KIWANIS CLUB TO OBSERVE ITS FIRST BIRTHDAY

At noon today, the Richmond Kiwanis club will depart from their regular weekly meetings by staging their program in the municipal natatorium. A box lunch will be served and stunts have been provided by the committee in charge of the event.

The penalty to be faced by members tardy at today's session is a ducking in the pool and everyone is expected to be there promptly at 12:15 o'clock.

WHISTLING PROGRAM AT JUNIOR HIGH

An excellent program of whistling was presented at the Junior high school auditorium yesterday by C. A. Harwell of Berkeley. The program was as follows:

A Series of Bird Calls.

"The World is Waiting for the Sunrise," by Seitz.

"Gray Days" by Johnston.

"Indian Love Calls," from Rose Mario, by Friml.

"By the Waters of Minnetonka" by Lieurance.

"The Star," by Rogers.

Harwell was accompanied by Miss Catherine Warner.

FEDERATION TO MEET AT OAKLEY

The Contra Costa Federation of Women's clubs will meet at Oakley on April 14, according to an announcement made yesterday. Mrs. H. J. Spenser of Walnut Creek will direct the program.

WHIST IN HUBER HALL THIS EVENING

For the benefit of St. John's church in El Cerrito, a post-lenten whist party will be given tonight in Huber hall. Prizes for high score cards and a door prize have been secured by the committee in charge, which is composed of Mrs. Margaret Gately, Miss Manzie Conlin and Miss M. Curtin.

Mrs. C. L. Baughman will be the hostess.

PENNSYLVANIA CLUB AT GROENDYKE HOME

Instead of meeting at the Reheka clubrooms as previously announced, the Pennsylvania club will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. Anne Groendyke at 724 Barrett avenue.

Mrs. C. L. Baughman will be the hostess.

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KIDDIE REVUE IS READY FOR ITS BIG SHOW

All is in readiness for the big spring presentation of songs and dances at the Roosevelt auditorium tonight by the Matilda Meyers kiddies. So far most of the tickets for the event have been sold, but preparations have been made to sell the remaining tickets at the door.

The performance begins at 8:15 o'clock and the doors will open at 7:30.

This is expected to be one of the best entertainments ever staged by the kiddies. This act will draw a large crowd as the pupils of Miss Meyers are great favorites in this city and the bay regions.

They are a group of talented children whom have delighted thousands of people.

The music will be furnished by the Essola orchestra and besides the dances there will be a number of clever songs rendered.

The children who will participate in the event include:

Shirley Ellsworth, Henrietta Curry, Donald Luby, Dorothy Heinemann, Eleanor Brensel, Elea-nor Soldavin, Grace Childs, Leyon Long, Marjorie Frohlick, Mary Jean Lowell, Mildred Lovell, Bernice Newford, Rose Shadé, Elvira Tewell, Joan Calkins, Elvyn Calfee, Shirley Mardigan, Alice Borgstrom, Marguerite Coombs, Cera Conser, Edith Dumand, Quanita Jarman, Anna Corrigan, Ruby Brooks, Rose Appel, Elsie Apel, Mary Rovida, Dora Dunlevy, Exer Hoover, La Lillian Lexon, Alice Lexon, Margaret Tease, Marjorie Vestal, Aloha Prang, Annie Cuthbert, Dorothy Irvin, Helen Yooha, Betty Jane Curry, Hilda Strain, Marian Randall, Violet Cafwell, Laverna Lovdahl, Madeline Russell, Claire Purman, Doris Miller and Gladys Foster.

GROWS OBSERVE 25TH ANNIVERSARY

The twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage is being celebrated by Building Inspector and Mrs. E. E. Grow. The couple were married in Pinole on April 8, 1901, and are receiving the congratulations of a host of friends in Richmond upon reaching their silver wedding anniversary.

UNITY LODGE HAS PARTY AT PIMM HOME

The Unity Lodge, Daughters of St. George, were entertained at a whisky party at the home of Mrs. Thomas Pimm on Wednesday afternoon. The prize winners were Mrs. Sue Nee, Mrs. Elizabeth Wright, James Wright and Mrs. Chorlton.

The lodge plans to go to Berkeley on April 19 to attend a meeting of the membership campaign leaders.

Following the meeting last night refreshments were served by a committee composed of Rose Black, Alice Banner, Mary Dorstewitz and Rose Dorstewitz.

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ONETAH COUNCIL HAS BUSINESS MEET

Onetah Council of Pocahontas had a short business meeting last night with Mrs. Clio Barry in charge.

Fish Fritters

1 tablespoon Kitchen Bouquet; 4 ounces sifted flour; 2 table-spoons olive oil; 2 eggs beaten; salt; tepid water; 1/4 pound haddock, fillet from skin with bones and cut across; Mix flour, olive oil, Kitchen Bouquet and water into a batter, add eggs, fish and salt to taste. Drop the batter into hot fat, fry to golden color, garnish with lemon slices and parsley and serve very hot.

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First Presbyterian Aid Names Officers For Ensuing Year

Election and installation of officers was held by the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon at the church. The new officers are: Mrs. Walter Crabb, president; Mrs. W. M. Bullock, vice-president; Mrs. W. H. Cavin, secretary; Mrs. W. W. Giberson, treasurer and Mrs. J. S. Spires, retiring president.

The Rev. E. W. Haney acted as installing officer.

Following the installation ceremonies, a business meeting was held under the direction of Mrs. Crabb and following this a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. A. H. Poage, Mrs. Willard Peage and Mrs. J. A. Long were hostesses.

During the social hour little Betty Poage gave several recitations.

Parade Tonight to Boost Firemen's Ball

A parade composed of firemen and headed by the high school band tonight will advertise the annual firemen's ball to be staged Saturday night at East Shore park. At 7 o'clock, the parade augmented by the emergency equipment will form on Macdonald avenue and tour the business district.

The latest song hits have been prepared by the Dennis Shaw orchestra, who will furnish the music for the dancing.

Frances. Her mothers is a trained nurse.

HEALTH CENTER AIDS MANY NEEDY

According to the reports of Nora L. Purvisance, a total of 558 individuals paid 722 visits to the Richmond Health Center during the month of March. Of this number 49 were new patients.

Two cases were sent to the county hospital and two to the local hospital. One of the cases was still confined at the end of the month.

Eighty-seven individuals were treated at the dental clinic 125 times.

A total of 71 clinics were held with 80 hours being given by the medical staff. Paid workers spent 624 hours, 27 donations were given to the center and 12 investigations were held.

The health center is preparing to conduct a pre-school examination before April 19.

WOODCRAFT HOLDS CLASS INITIATION

A class of candidates were initiated at the meeting of the Neighbors of Woodcraft last night at the Woodmen hall, under the direction of Marie Lee Kelly.

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PEP RALLY AT JUNIOR HIGH

A pep rally is planned at the junior high school to take place this morning at 8:35 o'clock.

Superintendent of schools W. T. Helms will address the boys on a subject of interest to them. Larry Canelo of the California theatre will play and sing and Carl Kreutzen will render vocal selections.

STORY HOUR AT THE WESLEY M. E.

The first of a series of story hours will be held at the Wesley M. E. church starting Friday afternoon at 3:30 for the children. Mrs. Mary Mitchell will be in charge of the event.

FIRST M. E. AID TO MEET TODAY

The Ladies Aid of the First Methodist Episcopal church will meet this afternoon at 2:30 at the church parlors. All members are requested to be present.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Alex Kirkwood acknowledge with grateful appreciation the kind expressions of sympathy accorded us in our recent bereavement.

MRS. A. KIRKWOOD
AND FAMILY.

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Mendelssohn Club Names Officers at Business Meeting

The Club Mendelssohn met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ethel Lambrecht, 2552 Garvin Avenue, where election of officers and the program were held.

Mrs. Tsar Caffee gave a delightful talk on the Irish Drama. The committee in charge of the operetta to be given on April 30, reported that plans are progressing.

The following are the newly elected officers:

President, Mrs. James Mythen; vice-president, Mrs. James A. McVittie; recording secretary, Mrs. Charles Seymour; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. J. Burns; treasurer, Mr. T. T. Cranmer; hostess, Mrs. E. L. Scofield; publicity, Mrs. B. W. Brothers and parliamentarian, Mrs. S. S. Ripley.

INSTITUTE SEWING CLUB AT GARRARD HOME

The Women's Institute Sewing club will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. H. W. Garrard at 428 Eleventh street.

*MOOSE HOLD A BUSINESS SESSION

J. S. McGinnis had charge of the regular business meeting of the Moose last night at the Moose hall.

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If you had a few hundred dollars and wanted to keep it for your own use, would you tuck it in a bureau drawer or behind the clock where it would be safe from either fire nor theft, or would you put it in a bank?

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SPORTS

OAKLAND CLUBS PLAN TO BOOST BASEBALL TEAM

Sponsored by the Oakland Advertising Club, the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, the Oakland Athletic Club, the East Bay Booster Club and the Emergency Industrial Association, the opening gun to start the Oakland baseball team toward a successful season will be fired at a booster luncheon in the Hotel Oakland, April 13.

Honored guests will be the members of the Federal Supreme, Superior and Justice Courts, members of the Oakland city council, the board of education, and the members of the Oakland and Sacramento teams. Harry A. Williams, president of the Pacific Coast baseball league will also be present.

Following the luncheon, an automobile parade through the streets of Oakland from the hotel to the baseball grounds will boost the opening and urge the fans to root for their home team.

Max Horwitski will be toastmaster at the luncheon and the speakers will be Dr. Rudolph C. Coffey, Fred L. McMillan, Exalted Ruler of the Elks, and Raymond Hall for the service clubs.

The program at the luncheon will be broadcasted over Radio KGO.

Russians Transmit Thoughts by Waves

(By Universal Service)

LENINGRAD, April 8.—Transmission of thought by electro-magnetic waves from the brain of one person to that of another is regarded as proven by the members of the Institute of the Brain, who witnessed a series of experiments conducted under the auspices of the noted physiologist, Prof. V. Bechtereve.

The experiments were carried out on a group of scientific workers and students. Strictest measures were taken to exclude the possibility of faking.

One student was placed in a room with only a referee to watch him. The student was shown a piece of white paper upon which was drawn a geometrical figure. It was his duty to concentrate with all his mental energy on the geometrical figure, attempting to think about nothing else but its shape.

In another room another student was placed, resting in an easy position on a couch, with his eyes blindfolded. He was requested to relax as completely as possible, but to reproduce on paper whatever "came to his mind."

In every instance the receiver of the thought waves correctly reproduced the geometrical figures before the eyes of the "transmitting" student.

It was the unanimous opinion of the members of the Institute, that the transmission was brought about by electro-magnetic waves. The Institute is composed of the leading scientists of Russia in the field of physiology and physical psychology.

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Sportographs

GOLF IN BARE FEET

What difference does a little bit of rain make to good golfers? At Los Angeles yesterday Leon Scarver of the Los Angeles Country club won the qualifying round of the Southern California amateurs golf tournament with a card of 152 for the thirty-six holes. The caddie of the course, so it is reported, used skiffs to navigate the course, while most of the golfers wore gum boots and several of them came through on bare feet. There's an idea for you golfers!

U. C. CREW READY

The California crew is all ready for the race with the Husky crew today at Lake Washington. The U.C. team is shaping up in fine style and for the first time in a number of years they seem to be able to take the dashing Washington crews down the line. If they do wallop the Husky crew, it will be the first time since 1921 that they have been able to do it. No accurate timing of the two crews have yet been found because of the wind on the lake.

U. C. MANAGER RESIGNS

R. W. Cortelyou, graduate manager for the University of California for the past seven years has handed in his resignation, and will leave U. C. on May 15. One of the outstanding events of his career as manager was the building of the California Memorial stadium. It was thought that his resignation was due to the fire that has leveled him at the expense of the political revolution upon the campus, but friends declare that he had thought of resigning even before the squabble started. The associated students exonerated him from all blame when he was charged with misappropriating funds for the entertainment of the Pennsylvania football team and game him finances for the institution of libel suit.

U. C.-STANFORD MEETS

The University of California and their rivals of yore, the Cardinals will meet in four sports at Berkeley on Saturday. The program will start at 10 o'clock when the varsity tennis players will meet the Stanford tennis varsity. At the same time the frosh baseball nines will meet in the second game of a three game series. At 1:30 the frosh track team will meet and at 3:15 the second game of the varsity baseball game is scheduled.

BEAVERS LOSE

The Portland Beavers lost their first game of the season on Wednesday, when they were defeated by the Seattle Indians to the tune of 11-7 and the Indians got even for the defeat they were handed on the day before. Art Griggs, first sacker for the Indians, helped his team mightily by slaming a home run and two doubles. Elliott for the Indians allowed eleven hits, while the Indians gathered 10 hits off the four Beaver pitchers.

ROMANCE OF THE HARRIMANS IS CONCLUDED

By C. F. BERTELLI
(By Universal Service)

Special Cable to Universal Service
PARIS, April 8.—The romance of the Oliver Carley Harrimans is definitely at an end. Mrs. Harriman, the former Harriet Hewett, landed in New York from the liner France at the end of March to consult her lawyer, Dudley Field Malone.

It is understood that at the same time she will dispose of the contents of her apartment in the Park Lane apartments, New York, before she returns to Paris where she will establish her residence.

While the grounds for the divorce have not as yet been revealed, friends here believe the usual formula of desertion will be invoked. Her husband, who is motorizing on the Riviera, could not be reached today, but according to a statement he is said to have recently made, he does not intend to defend the suit. The settlement, requested by Mrs. Harriman is a feature of the proceedings which will be started under the direction of Attorney Malone as soon as the Harrimans return to Paris. Mrs. Harriman intends to settle in Paris after the divorce.

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East Bay Booster Club to Boost for Oakland Team

(By Universal Service)

Cutting Wins Right To Challenge Gould To Tennis Match

NEW YORK, April 8.—C. Suydam Cutting, the British star,

won the right to challenge Jay Gould for the national amateur court tennis championship today, when he defeated George H. Hub-

and, the English player, who is repre-

senting Chicago in the tourney,

at the Racquet and Tennis club,

3-6, 6-0, 6-4, 6-0, in the final

round of the tourney.

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ence between a community which is merely dormant and one

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Bay Booster Club, starting with

boosting for the Oakland Base-

ball Club, which is distinctly

and purely an East Bay existence. It

must depend on East Bay people

for its existence. The East Bay

as a matter of real civic pride

will want the baseball season to

compare favorably in attendance

and boosting spirit with San Fran-

cisco, which now has two base-

ball clubs and continuous base-

ball.

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winning baseball team. Every-

body does. You can help by boost-

ing. More than one team has

been pulled out of a slump by

concerted boosting effort on the

part of the home-town fans. Such

boosting support enables the team

to play better and more determin-

ed baseball. There is a distinct

psychological pulling power in

such support.

Therefore, the East Bay Boost-

er Club asks your whole-heart-

ed endorsement and cooperation

in the above.

Four Contests For Track Team

Four meets have been scheduled for the Richmond high school track team, following the decision of the members, to determine whether or not the track team wished to continue, according to announcement made by athletic manager, William Milievich.

AIR ON MARS TOO RARE FOR CHARLESTON

(By Universal Service)

HOMOUCOW, April 8.—The Charle-

ston would have a hard time

surviving among the inhabitants

of Mars. Lack of oxygen on that

planet makes breathing difficult

for the Martians—if there are any.

Russian astronomers claim that

the atmosphere of Mars is similar

to that of very high mountainous

regions on the earth. High power

telescopes have shown them, they

say, that Mars as well as being

a bit of oxygen, has other dis-

comforts that make life just one

unpleasant thing after another.

It is a world of many cyclones,

with clouds that move swiftly

through the heavens. Around the

equator are many deserts above

which hover yellow clouds of

dust.

The weather is very fickle. It

has some of the general characteris-

tics of that in Tibet, that strange,

high tableland in the center of Asia,

where a person standing

with one foot in the sun and

the other in the shadow can get

sunburned and frostbitten at the

same time. In the very rare air,

the rays of the sun are magnified,

while at night teh cold is intense.

The Russian scientists claim

that the atmosphere of Mars con-

tains about as much oxygen as

that on the Pamir mountains, a

very high range in Russian Turk-

estan near the border of India.

That organic life is not impos-

sible on Mars, the Russian inves-

igators agree. The green spots

formerly believed to be seas are

really great forests, they are con-

vinced.

Even human life is not exclu-

ded from living in this rare atmos-

phere they say. Just as in Tibet,

where the entire country is thou-

sands of feet above sea level, the

natives are accustomed to the bi-

ts of the cold, the sharp rays of the

sun, and the thin air and feel no

inconvenience from these condi-

Sourdoughs Reverse Things In Latest Gold Rush Which Is In Progress Near Leadville, Calif.

(By Universal Service)

BERKELEY, April 8.—The sourdoughs are going south!

Pioneers of the Alaskan and Yukon strikes, the trailmakers of the great Klondike stampede, are heading another colorful adventure in pursuit of mineral wealth at the little Death Valley town of Leadville, according to the vivid story brought here today by Scotty Allen, famous Alaskan character and internationally known dog musher.

This latest "rush" is "hind end to" to use Allen's own picturesque description, in that two thousand seekers after riches visited the camp in one day—by special pullman train.

Allen, who has resided in Berkely since his return from the frozen north, today holds the unusual distinction of being both keeper, general superintendent, paymaster, acting mayor and chief of police of Leadville.

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1—Lodge and Meeting Notices

SONS OF ST. GEORGE—Gladstone Lodge, No. 531, meets first and third Tuesday at Memorial Hall at 8 o'clock p.m., Banner, Secretary; R. F. D., Box 147, Richmond; Badcock, president.

GOLDEN GATE COUNCIL, No. 3, Junior O. U. A., meets Wednesday nights, in the small hall in W. O. W. Hall. O. H. Benne, Recording Secretary, P. O. Box 1121, Richmond, Calif.

NATIVE SONS—Of Golden West, No. 217, Edward Peterson, Stege, President; R. H. Cunningham, Secretary 520 Ohio Street, Meeting nights, first and third Tuesday of the month. Meeting place, Redman hall Eleventh Street and Nevin.

NIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Richmond Lodge, No. 13 meets every Wednesday night at K. of P. hall, 6th St. near Macdonald. Visitors always welcome. Wm. E. Geach, C. C.; F. G. Blackhart, K. of R. and S.

RADIO ART CLUB—Meets every Friday at 8 p.m. at 704 Macdonald. All invited to attend meeting.

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WILBUR PIERCE ADDRESSES THE GIDEON CLUB TO HOLD YOUNG PEOPLE'S NIGHT

"We Americans must make our country better and safer for our children who follow us," said Attorney Wilbur S. Pierce in his address before the Gideon Club of the First Baptist church at a dinner given at the church last night.

"Something must be done by the better element to insist on more regard for law and the enforcement of law," he said, expressing the present disregard for the laws in the United States.

Choosing as his subject: "American People's Disregard for Law," he framed his talk on the recent shooting of which he was the victim.

He spoke of several nations which because of the disregard for law had fallen and gone to destruction and said that America was facing the danger of degenerating unless the better element banded together and demanded that the laws be enforced.

"We will get as much enforcement as the public demands, as I said in speaking of the laxity of enforcements."

Mr. Robert Williams, accompanied by Miss Ruby Williams sang several solos featuring the musical part of the program. Glenn Holstein was chairman of the evening's entertainment presided over by C. E. Parker.

A committee of women in charge of the dinner consisted of Misses Robert Kinney, H. W. Bowman and W. Phillips. The dinner was served by the Misses Genow, Bowman and Ethel and Dorothy Kinney.

The next regular meeting of the Gideon club will be held on April 24.

HIGH SCHOOL DANCE

The second dance of the semester will be held in the gymnasium of the Richmond Union high school on the night of April 16.

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When General Washington had accepted the sword of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown, Virginia, and ended the war with England, the Congress of the United States, lead by Washington's fellow Virginian, voted to erect an elaborate statue to the general, but politics in that day were much as politics are today, and nothing was done. Finally Virginia, feeling deeply about the matter instructed Thomas Jefferson, ambassador to France, to negotiate with Houdon for a statue of the general. Accompanied by Dr. Benjamin Franklin, Jefferson saw Houdon, terming as a token of friendship,

and for the sum of 1,050 English guineas contracted for the work.

The traveling expenses of Houdon were also granted and the contract called for the insurance of his life for 10,000 English guineas during his voyage to America to make measurements of the person of Washington. Houdon made plaster casts of the upper part of Washington's body, and after working for three years shipped to America what is today accepted as the finest likeness of the general in existence. The work has been given universal acclaim, and tourists coming to Virginia could not miss this wonderful work of art which is open to the public at all times.

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